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In the Application of:

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Title: SOLUBLE TUMOR NECROSIS FACTOR TREATMENT OF MEDICAL DISORDERS

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b) OF ENTIRE INTEREST AND
POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

IMMUNEX CORPORATION, (hereinafter "IMMUNEX"), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at 51 University Street, Seattle, Washington 98101, is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the above-identified U.S. patent application. Documentary evidence of a chain of title from the original owners to Immunex is demonstrated by the enclosed copy of an Assignment, the original of which is being filed for recordation by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of IMMUNEX.

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Enclosure:
Copy of Assignment

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Barbara K. Finck, residing at Mercer Island, WA 98040; Larry O'Neal residing at Columbia, SC 29212-8612; John D. Pluenneke residing at Kansas City, MO 64152 and Timothy Connor residing at Madison, WI 53719, are the inventors named in an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled "SOLUBLE TUMOR NECROSIS FACTOR TREATMENT OF MEDICAL DISORDERS," said application No. 09/602,351 filed June 23, 2000;

AND, WHEREAS, IMMUNEX CORPORATION, a corporation of the State of Washington, having a principal place of business at 51 University Street, Seattle, Washington 98101 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring the entire right and title to and interest in the invention disclosed in said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for sufficient, good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE our entire right and title to and interest in said application and said invention(s) and all U.S. and foreign applications and patents on said invention(s) to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this sale, assignment, and transfer not been made, and we do hereby further agree and promise to execute all instruments and render all such assistance as ASSIGNEE may request in order to make and prosecute any and all applications on said invention(s), to enforce any and all patents on said invention(s), and to confirm in ASSIGNEE legal title to said invention(s) and all applications and patents on said invention(s), all without charge to ASSIGNEE but at no expense to us.

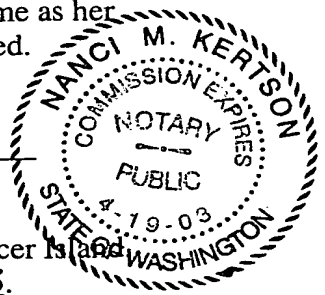
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On this 7th day of Sept., 2000, personally appeared before me Barbara K. Finck, to me known to be the individual named above who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that she signed the same as her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

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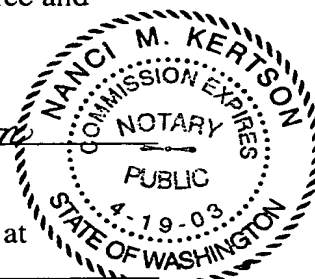
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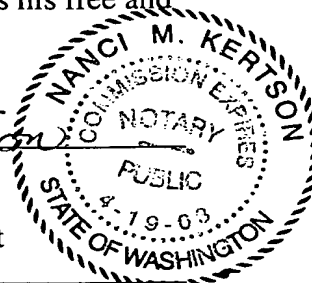
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